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PETITION TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP  
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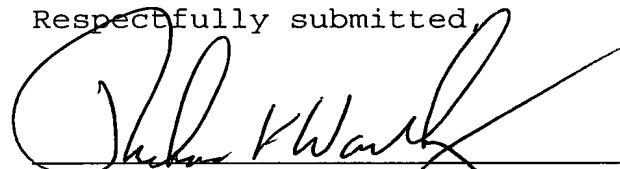
Applicants hereby petition to correct inventorship for the above-identified patent application to add RANDALL K. MORSE and JANE CLAIRE WHITE as additional inventors.

Enclosed herewith is a Statement of Facts of RANDALL K. MORSE and a Statement of Facts of JANE CLAIRE WHITE for Petition for Correction of Inventorship Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.48, and a Consent of Assignee to Correct Inventorship Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.48, and an Amendment adding RANDALL K. MORSE and JANE CLAIRE WIHTE as additional inventors.

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Authorization is hereby given to charge Deposit Account No. 08-0870 the petition fee under 37 CFR § 1.17(h) in the amount of \$130.00. Authorization is given to charge any additional fees to Deposit 08-0870.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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STATEMENT OF ADDED INVENTOR, JANE CLAIRE WHITE,  
FOR CORRECTION OF INVENTORSHIP PURSUANT TO 37 CFR §1.48

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Sir:

I, JANE CLAIRE WHITE, hereby declare that I am a co-inventor with John DeSalvo, Michael Lange, and Scott Bricker of the above-identified patent application directed to the OPTICALLY AMPLIFIED RECEIVER. This error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intention on my part or the part of John DeSalvo, Michael Lange, and Scott Bricker. I had worked closely with Randall K. Morse in the initial development of a structure and circuit for optically amplifying signals to deliver a clean current source to an injection laser diode as part of an optically amplified receiver that optimizes a system and is incorporated into a single assembly.

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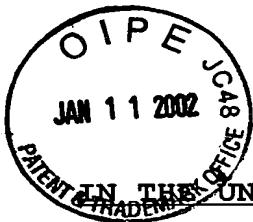
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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

*Jane Claire White*  
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**JANE CLAIRE WHITE**



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